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## **IDWR Schedules Informational Meeting on INL Injection Wells Applications**

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The Idaho Department of Water Resources will hold an informal public meeting next month in Burley to discuss recent applications for permit to operate injection wells at the Idaho National Laboratory.

INL has applied for permits to operate 11 injection wells for research at its Vadose Zone Research Park. The applications are currently under consideration by IDWR. The research involves the injection of salts and polymers in order to study groundwater movements and whether contaminants can be isolated and contained.

Again, the public is invited to attend the meeting to learn more about the planned research.

When: Wednesday September 6, 2006

Where: Burley City Council Chambers, 1401 Overland Road, Burley

**Time: 7** p.m.

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